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Docket: P-6461-1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Art Unit:	3736 (R. Nasser)	RECEIVED
Applicant:	Nakagawara, M.	SEP 07 2007
Serial No.:	09/349,573	OFFICE OF PETITIONS
Filed:	July 8, 1999	
Title:	CUFF-BLOCK FOR FINGER ARTERIAL BLOOD PRESSURE MONITORING	

Hon. Commissioner of Patents  
and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

PROPOSED AMENDMENT

This is in reply to the Official Action dated September 19, 2000.

Please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims to read as follows:

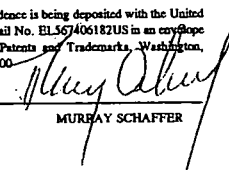
1. (Amended) A cuff-block for [a] the non-invasive sensing within [finger arterial blood pressure monitor for measurement of] a finger of arterial blood pressure, comprising:

a cuff [for local pressurization to be attached] adapted to be placed over [a finger artery located at] a proximal [finger portion] or a medial finger portion of [a measured] an artery in the finger; and

[a cuff-fixing member] means for holding said cuff on said finger [ and to be attached to said measured finger in] such [a

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